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1. As a result of the purge in the USSR following Beria's fall, a number of Soviet officers in command of Soviet units stationed in Rumania, have been recalled to Moscow.
2. [REDACTED] there will shortly be a series of unusual movements of Soviet troops now in Rumania:

- a. The Soviet troops now at Jambolia, etc near the Rumanian-Hungarian frontier, will be transferred to Galati.
- b. Units now at Buzău will be sent to the Hungarian frontier.
- c. It is even possible that the units at Buzău will be sent across the frontier and into Hungary itself.

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3. [REDACTED] Soviet motorized forces, together with tank units, will enter Rumania. The purpose of this movement is to be ready for peasant uprisings, which are anticipated. The Communist authorities fear that the peasants have been stirred up by groups of anti-Partisan Communists and may try to interfere with the troop transfers described in Para.2 above. The fact that motorized and tank troops are required to protect this transfer, indicates that no troops of these arms are being included in the transfers.

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